

REMARKS

Claims 1-28 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 11-20 are amended, and claims 21-28 are added. Claims 11-20 are amended for form. Support for new claims 21-28 can be found at least at pg. 24, line 25 - pg. 25, line 6 of the instant specification. Thus, no new matter is added.

I. Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant appreciates the Office Action's indication that claims 1-10 are allowed.

II. Claims 11-20 Satisfy the Requirements of 35 U.S.C. §101

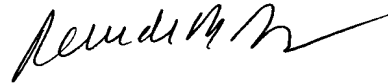
The Office Action rejects claims 11-20 under 35 U.S.C. §101. The Office Action asserts that claims 11-20 do not define a "computer-readable medium," and thus are non-statutory. By this Amendment, claims 11-20 are amended to overcome the rejection. Claims 11-20 satisfy the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §101. Withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested.

III. Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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